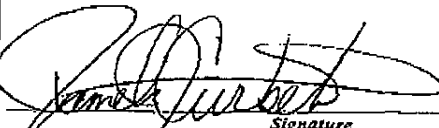
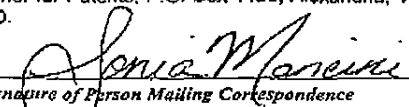


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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

Sir:

This amendment is submitted to clarify and further claim the present invention. Please amend the Application as follows: